

COMPANY G. GAINS RECOGNITION BY U.S. DEPARTMENT OF WAR

LOCAL COMPANY I. N. G. WINS
HONORS FOR MILITARY
EFFICIENCY.

CAPT. SOPER GETS NOTIFICATION

Officers Feel Especial Pride Since the
Membership Is Now in the
Service.

Company G, Sixth Infantry, I. N. G. of this city is one of less than a score of companies in the entire guard of the state to be honored by recognition by the United States War Department, as is evidenced by the following letter which Captain Soper has received from Col. Davis of the regiment:

Dear Captain Soper—
Let me congratulate you on your hard work with your command, in that I am in receipt of word that federal recognition has been granted Co. G by the War Department. May your good work continue.

Yours very truly,
C. G. DAVIS.
Is Decided Honor.

The recognition accorded the local command is especially pleasing to Captain Soper and his loyal assistants, Lieutenants Preston and Lewis, for it means that Co. G is one of the comparatively few units in the state who have passed the mark required by the War Department officials.

And particularly do the local officers find reason for pride in the company's standing, in that 70 per cent of the membership has had less than one year's experience in the service.

ASK REV. LUMSDEN TO STAY IN DIXON

PASTOR OF M. E. CHURCH EXTENDED INVITATION TO
CONTINUE HERE.

Rev. E. C. Lumsden, who has been the popular pastor of the Dixon M. E. church the past year, was last evening at the Fourth Quarterly Conference of the church, extended an invitation to remain with the church another year. Dr. Phelps, superintendent of the Dixon district, presided at the conference. Reports from each department of the church showed that the organization in each and all its parts is in excellent working condition. The officers of the church for the coming year were also elected at this meeting, which followed the evening service, a service devoted particularly to the men of the church and very interesting. A men's chorus gave three excellent vocal numbers and the pastor gave a sermon of exceptional interest, addressing it to the men in particular.

H. U. Bardwell went to Davenport this morning.

Mrs. Harry Bennett of Lighthouse was in Dixon Friday shopping.

Lorado Taft, Famous Sculptor, Will Assist In Designing Block House Marker

Lorado Taft, the famous Chicago sculptor, with Mrs. Ingalls, one of his advanced pupils and co-workers, spent Sunday in Dixon at the invitation of the Daughters of the American Revolution, to consult with them concerning a suitable marker for the site of the old Block House, in which Lincoln twice enlisted in the United States Army.

Mr. Taft, who designed the Black Hawk and Soldiers & Sailors monuments at Oregon, very kindly accepted the invitation of the local D. A. R. to give of his advice concerning marking the site of the famous old structure at the north end of the bridge, and upon his return to Chicago he will study the situation and submit sketches of ideas which he will evolve.

The purchase of the site, the Heavens property, has been made, and now the question of an artistic and suitable marker is to be considered. And so the advice of Lorado Taft, whose many beautiful statues and especially his conception of

GENERAL TREVINO Mexican General Reported Shot in Fight With Villa.



Photo by American Press Association.

MOOSE TO ENTERTAIN ON FRIDAY EVENING

MOVING PICTURES OF LIFE AT
MOOSEHEART WILL BE A
BIG FEATURE.

BAND AND ZOUAVES HERE

The big entertainment with which Dixon lodge L. O. O. M. will open its membership campaign, will be given at the Dixon opera house Friday evening, Sept. 22. Fifty people from Mooseheart, that order's great school at Aurora, will take part in the program, including Mooseheart band and the Zouaves, and a number of prominent moose officials will also be here to assist in the big affair.

A feature of the evening's entertainment will be 5000 feet of films depicting daily life among the children at Mooseheart, the fine buildings and also a number of views of the great Moose convention, which was recently held at Mooseheart. The films are in great demand and the local lodge has been especially fortunate in getting them for this entertainment.

MRS. DANA BROKE LEFT WRIST

Chair Tipped and Threw Her to Floor
Today.

Mrs. Fred Dana, while taking down a curtain at her home this morning, was thrown to the floor by the chair tipping and suffered a Colles fracture of the left wrist. The accident is very painful and will incapacitate her for some time.

C. C. BAND REHEARSAL

The Chamber of Commerce band will meet for rehearsal at the Armory at 8 o'clock this evening. This meeting of the band will be an important one and every member is urged to attend.

VILLISTAS ATTACKED CARRANZA GARRISON DURING CELEBRATION

CAPTURED PALACES AT CHIHUAHUA CITY DURING FETE
SATURDAY.

ARE NOW BEING PURSUED

Carranza Cavalry Is Following Them
—Pierce Fighting In
Streets.

(Associated Press)

El Paso, Sept. 18—Villa's main band, which Saturday attacked the garrison of 7,000 at Chihuahua City during the celebration of Independence day, is being pursued into the Santa Clara canyon district by Carranza cavalry. During the attack Villa himself remained outside the city, while his forces of about 1500 captured and greatly damaged the federal and municipal palaces and the penitentiary, releasing Jose Salazar, "perpetual revolutionist." Gen. Trevino, Carranza's commander, was slightly wounded in the arm during the fight.

Villa's casualties are estimated at 250 in the street fighting in which pistols and bare fists were used, rifles being useless. The streets were cobbled with Villista dead. The battle lasted six hours, ending at 9:30 this morning.

DRIVERLESS AUTO IN DASH DOWN OTTAWA

R. W. JETER'S OAKLAND SUFFERED
BROKEN WHEEL THIS
AFTERNOON.

A five-passenger Oakland touring car, bearing dealers' license No. 629, which was issued to R. W. Jeter, Ashton, suffered a broken wheel this afternoon when it started down the Ottawa avenue hill past the Telegraph office, without a driver. The car had been left standing against the curb opposite the Elks' Club, without the emergency brake set. Suddenly it started north down the hill, swerved into the curb on the west side of the street, in which collision a wheel was broken, and then turned sharply across the street, stopping against the sidewalk.

PROF. FAUST TEACHES PENMANSHIP IN CITY

CHICAGO MAN ENGAGED BY THE
BOARD OF EDUCATION OF
NORTH DIXON.

Prof. C. A. Faust of Chicago has been engaged by the board of education of the North Dixon schools to take charge of the instruction of penmanship in the school and he is here to take up his duties.

Prof. Faust will conduct a lettering class to which everyone is invited even though not attending the school. The instruction will be free, the only charge being for material used in the work.

The plan will give to the pupils and others as well a splendid opportunity to learn one of the best systems in writing.

BRITISH REPEAT ARGUMENTS

Reply to Second U. S. Note On Way
To Washington.

(Associated Press)

Washington, Sept. 18—Great Britain's reply to the United States protest against seizure and censorship of mails is on its way to Washington. It is understood to be largely a repetition of the arguments in justification of the British course contained in a preliminary memorandum last February.

WAS NOT THE BREMEN

(Associated Press)
New London, Conn., Sept. 18—A submarine, approaching New London last night, believed to be the Bremen, proved to be an American craft returning from maneuvers.

J. H. Lievan was in Amboy Friday attending the fair.

MAJOR GENERAL MILLS IS DEAD

Chief of Militia Affairs Succumbs to
Pneumonia.

(Associated Press)

Washington, Sept. 18—Major General Albert L. Mills, U. S. A., Chief of the Division of Militia Affairs, died today of pneumonia after an illness of fifteen hours.

GERMANS ABANDON MORE GROUND IN WEST

ALLIES' BIG PUSH FORCES THE
TEUTONS FROM IMPOR-
TANT VILLAGES.

(Associated Press)

Paris, Sept. 18—The Germans lost heavily in several counter attacks to the north and south of Somme last night. The French progressed near Clermy and Berny and have completely encircled Denicourt, 1200 prisoners and ten machine guns have been captured. The prisoners state that enormous losses were suffered by some of the German formations.

British Made Gains.

London, Sept. 18—In small operations on the Somme front the British gained further ground last night.

Lieut. Raymond Asquith, son of Premier Asquith, was killed in action Sept. 15.

Serbs Take Trenches.

London, Sept. 18—On the western end of the Macedonian front Serbs captured Bulgarian first line trenches at Kaimakealan, while the French captured the station of Florina on the allied left.

Berlin Statement.

Berlin, Sept. 18—The Germans have abandoned the villages of Berny and Denicourt and positions between Verdun and Verdun, south of the Somme North of the Somme the fighting favors the Germans.

In eastern Roumania the entente forces have been reinforced. Most of the territory taken by the Russians Saturday in an attempt to secure Halez has been regained by the Germans, the Russians suffering heavily. 3500 Russians and 16 machine guns have been taken.

Petrograd, Sept. 18—Russian troops have resumed their closing-in movement on the Galician town of Halez, southeast of Lemberg, on the Danister.

The war office announces the Teutons had been dislodged from positions south of Brezany, on the Zlota Lipa, northeast of Halez, and that the Russians were attacking along the Podvysoke-Halez railway line, where more than 3,000 Germans were taken prisoners and twenty machine guns captured.

Teutons Forced to Yield.

Berlin, Sept. 18—Heavy offensive operations by the Russians have been in progress along large sections of (Continued on page 4)

AMERICANS ON SUNKEN SHIP

Say the British Ship Was Torpedoed
Without Warning.

(Associated Press)

New York, Sept. 18—Twenty-eight American survivors, mufeteers of the British ship Kelvinia which was sunk Sept. 2, arrived here today. State department agents took their depositions. One survivor said the ship was torpedoed at 2 o'clock in the morning without warning.

INLET SWAMP JURY IS OUT

Left This Morning To Inspect the
Recently Annexed Lands.

Sheriff R. R. Phillips left this forenoon with the jury which is to fix the past benefits on lands recently annexed to the Inlet Swamp drainage district for a tour of the district, during which the jurors will view the different tracts and reach a decision on benefits.

THE WEATHER

Monday, Sept. 19, 1916.
Clear and warmer tonight and on Tuesday.
Sunday 65 53
Monday 59 33

DIVISION OF SPOILS OF BLACKMAILERS CAUSE OF ARRESTS

TWO MEMBERS OF GANG TELL
ALL ABOUT ITS OPERATIONS
TO U. S. AGENTS.

WEALTHY MEN AND WOMEN PAY

Alleged Syndicate Consists of at Least
Sixty, Half of Them
Women.

(Associated Press)

Chicago, Sept. 18—Confessions, by two members of the alleged syndicate of blackmailers, eight of whom are under arrest here, that their operations netted them \$1,000,000 last year, are said by federal officials to have disclosed that the alleged band numbers at least 60, thirty of whom are young and pretty women.

A dispute over the division of the spoils is said to have led to the confessions. The arrest of a score or more of the gang is expected. The so-called blackmail syndicate was exposed here Saturday by a raid by federal officials, and the operations of the syndicate are said to have been of international proportions. It is alleged they blackmail wealthy men and women and operated a fake pool room in connection with old wire-tapping games.

Held in Default of Bail.

The bonds of the eight were fixed late Saturday night, but they are still held in the county jail in default of bail. Those held are:

Henry Russell, Edward Donahue, alias "Doc Donahue;" Helen Evers, said to be the wife of George Irwin, alleged director of the group; Mrs. Frances Allen, Mrs. Edward Donahue, wife of Donahue; James Christian, alias "W. J. Gross;" Frank Crocker, George Bland.

Mr. Clabaugh says those held, together with others at liberty, have fleeced at least fifteen prominent men and women in Boston, Philadelphia, Chicago and New York by blackmail methods of a most modern type. He said there were many other victims who never complained, fearing the notoriety.

Flirtations Lured Victims.

"The women flirted with wealthy men and then demanded money from them on threats of exposure and the men did likewise with wealthy women and made similar demands," said Mr. Clabaugh.

The operations of the band of alleged international swindlers lead through many cities. Its victims, according to the federal officials, number hundreds.

Tackled Wrong Woman.

William Butler, said to be one of the same organization, was arrested in Philadelphia posing as a federal officer and attempting to molest Mrs. J. Bolton Winpenny, wealthy widow, out of a large sum of money. Mrs. Winpenny charged that Butler came to her and showed her a United States warrant for the arrest of her son on a Mann act charge.

He offered to drop the charge on the payment of \$8,000. When she protested she did not have that much money, they offered to compromise for \$5,000. That aroused her suspicion and she took the story up to the Philadelphia district attorney's office.

O'BRIEN'S VICTIM OUT OF HOSPITAL

IDA TORKELSON DENIES REPORT
SHE WILL MARRY THE MAN
WHO SHOT HER.

It will be recalled that some time ago Guy O'Brien, a wealthy young farmer of Morris, Ill., was caught in Lee county after eluding a posse for several days which had been searching for him because he shot his sweet heart, Ida Torkelson, who spurned his love.

Miss Torkelson, who was shot twice by O'Brien, has just left the Morris hospital and returned to her home at Newark. Her complete recovery is practically assured. She entered a strong denial that she was going home to marry the man who had shot her.

She intimated that she was afraid of Guy O'Brien. She emphatically denied that she had any sympathy for him or that, contrary to rumors, she intended to marry him as soon as she was fully recovered.

Mrs. Al Stewart was here from Franklin Grove on business Friday. Mrs. F. Coxwell of Nelson was a Friday shopper.

COLE BLEASE Returns Show He Is De- feated in South Carolina.



Photo by American Press Association.

GRAND JURORS TO DO THEIR 'WIENER-WURST'

E. H. WIENER IS MADE FOREMAN
OF INQUISTORIAL BODY—
BOVEY IS CLERK.

WILL HAVE VERY BUSY WEEK

When, after he had convened the September term of the Lee county circuit court at 1:30 o'clock this afternoon, Judge Heard appointed E. H. Wiener of Reynolds as foreman of the grand jury and sent them to their room to do their "Wiener-wurst," he put them to a task which will probably occupy their attention until the end of the week.

For the grand jury this term has many cases to investigate. There are at least ten alleged law breakers under bonds to their inquisition, and in addition to the locker clubs, which it is understood will be looked into, the jury will also pass upon the charges against the two negroes who Saturday night are alleged to have slashed George Collins in a brawl on Madison avenue.

R. C. Bovey of this city was chosen clerk of the jury. Judge Heard announced he would call the docket on Wednesday for the purpose of making up a trial list.

RUN ON BANK CONTINUES

Officials of Chicago Bank Insist It Is
Solvent.

(Associated Press)

Chicago, Sept. 18—The run started Sunday on the state bank of Schiff Sons, continued today. \$50,000 was paid out yesterday. Officials say the bank is solvent.

CALL OFF ORE STRIKE.

(Associated Press)
Biwabik, Minn., Sept. 18—Deserting the Industrial Workers of the World, the striking ore miners in this district yesterday called off the strike in this vicinity following similar action at Hibbing and Chisholm.

LICENSED TO WED

A marriage license has been granted to Bernt Prestegard of Alto and Miss Inez Vida Elde of Willow Creek.

Dr. Joseph Fort Newton Declines Call To Famous City Temple, London Eng.

Rev. Joseph Fort Newton, formerly pastor of the People's church of this city, who was recently honored by a call to the City Temple of London, Eng., where he made such a decidedly favorable impression while occupying the pulpit temporarily during the summer, has declined the call, and elects to stay at the "Little Brick Church" in Cedar Rapids.

However, the London church officials seem to be most determined, for

COLLINS NARROWLY ESCAPED DEATH IN FIGHT IN HOLLOW

DEEP GASH IS INFLICTED FROM
FOREHEAD TO CHIN BY ONE
OF TWO NEGROES.

TROUBLE STARTED ON I.C. TRAIN

Collins, After Being Injured, Walked
to Dementtown and Phoned
the Police.

George Collins, colored, 1022 Madison avenue, narrowly escaped having his throat cut in a fight with Frank Yancey and Clarence Pryor, also colored, in the hollow near his home Saturday night, and as it was he received a deep gash extending from his forehead, around one cheek and to his chin, which will likely be very troublesome and the scar from which he will carry to his grave.

Trouble Starts On Train.

The trouble started on the north bound evening Illinois Central passenger train, and is said to have resulted from a game of craps. The three negroes had spent the day in Amboy, taking the last train for Dixon. Their argument on the train was stopped by the conductor, but as soon as they got off the train at the Dixon station they attempted to renew the fight. Officer Peterson, however, was on hand and prevented the men from fighting, and searching Collins he found several large rocks and a number of knives and forks in his clothing.

Called the Police.

Whether Collins started in pursuit of the other two negroes, or whether they laid in wait for him is unknown. The three came together in the hollow, and in the melee Collins was frightened out with a razor. Bleeding profusely he made his way to Dementtown, went to Curran's barber shop where he called the police, then walked to Smith's restaurant, where he sent a second call for the officers.

He collapsed a few minutes later, and when the patrol arrived it was feared he was dying. He was hastened to the hospital, where a surgeon tied up the several blood vessels and took seventeen stitches in the gash.

To Grand Jury.

Yancey and Pryor were taken into custody and arraigned before Justice Gehant who, because Collins was unable to be present at the hearing, continued it until Thursday morning. It is announced by the state officials, however, that the grand jury, which convened this afternoon, will be asked to return true bills against the two for assault with a deadly weapon with intent to do bodily injury.

PARALYSIS CLOSES SCHOOLS

Geneva and St. Charles Hit By Infantile
Malady.

(Associated Press)

Elgin, Sept. 18—All public schools in Geneva and St. Charles have been closed because of the development of two cases of infantile paralysis. A strict quarantine has been established in the two cities and the delivery of newspapers has been barred.

STONES AND BOTTLES THROWN

Passengers Injured by Strike Sympathizers Today.

(Associated Press)

New York, Sept. 18—Several passengers were injured early today by stones and bottles thrown from roofs through the windows of the elevated trains. Normal service on the subway and elevated is being maintained, according to the police.

they have cabled the following reply to Mr. Newton's declination of their call:

"The church spontaneously and unanimously renews its call to you, to be accepted on your own terms and arrangements. Your objections are negligible and irrelevant. The church meeting will be held Thursday night to consider the matter further."

DIXON VICTOR OVER OREGON; SCORE 11-1

CARP HUBER PITCHED WONDERFUL GAME IN KLONDIKE WEATHER.

Dixon baseball team had absolutely no trouble in trouncing the Oregon-Mt. Morris Mutuals very delightfully at Lincoln park Sunday afternoon, score 11 to 1. Although weather conditions would have made an Arctic explorer homesick, Carp Huber pitched as though the thermometer was kicking 'em off at 95 in the shade and the visitors could do absolutely nothing with him. Oregon got three hits off the local southpaw, and his strike out record was a peach.

In the meantime the locals were having all kinds of fun with the opposing twirler, and in the second inning they put the game on ice with seven large and healthy runs. The entire Dixon team behaved beautifully and the good bunch of fans who witnessed the combat were well entertained.

NEW LABOR CRISIS IN SOUTH

Railroads Laying Off Men Active in 8-Hour Move.

Montgomery, Ala., Sept. 12.—That trouble is brewing between certain railroads of the south, and the four brotherhoods is indicated by mutterings heard from employees, who charge that the railroads are discharging men active in the campaign for the eight-hour day.

At Nashville there have been a large number of employees of the Louisville and Nashville railroad laid off in the past ten days. While no formal action has yet been taken, the fact has become known that the representatives of the Nashville Brotherhood of Railway Trainmen, and Warren S. Stone, grand chief of the Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers, have come to Nashville, and conduct an investigation.

Y. M. C. A. OPENED

The repairs and house cleaning at the Y. M. C. A. which kept the building closed for several days, have been completed and all departments of the association are now open for the use of members.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS.

Wm H Cox to Henry Raffenbergger wd \$3000 tracts 27 and 28 Loveland Place tracts Dixon.

Henry Raffenbergger to Joseph Enichen wd \$3100, same.

Daniel Wolfe to Adam and Julia Gabner wd \$475 pt lot 46 Mueller's survey, Dixon.

Norris & Kendall to O D Hixon, qcd \$1 nwq 28 Hamilton.

Wm F Ross to Chas H Fallstrom wd \$1 pt nwq 32 Dixon.

W E Wilson to A N Smith qcd \$1 wh seq and sh seq 8 East Grove.

Mary F Hansen to School Trustees 21-10, qcd \$85 lots 6 7 8 and w 1-3 blk 31 Lahman's add Franklin Grove.

Heirs Abel Brooks to Livonia, Brooks qcd \$1 lot 13 Hazelrude Dixon.

Joseph Mayes to C W Baker wd \$275 lot 5 block 2 Koons add to Pawpaw.

Heirs John T Lawrence to Lester Hoyle wd \$1 swq 10 Nelson.

Ask Portage users about Portage Fires, Money Back Tire Shop No. 4, 2061t

SPEAR HEAD

PAISED BY NOAH BEAL

Well Known Dixon Citizen Endorses Famous Tobacco

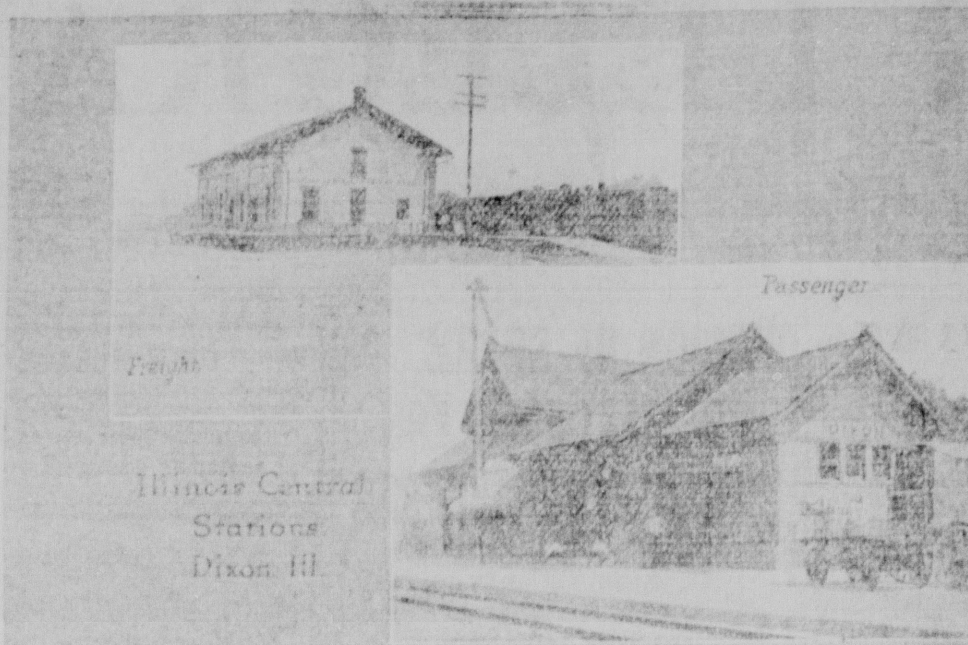
Nothing relieves the "tobacco hunger" like a chew of Spear Head. No other tobacco is so wonderfully cheering, comforting and satisfying. And no other receives such hearty, enthusiastic endorsements as this from Noah Beal, of 620 College Ave., Dixon, Ill., who says:

"SPEAR HEAD is the best tobacco I have ever used. I am seventy-seven years of age and have been chewing SPEAR HEAD for thirty-four years. It has a rich, lasting, fruity flavor that I have never found in any other tobacco. I endorse SPEAR HEAD tobacco in every respect."

In Spear Head you get all the natural juices of choice red Burley leaf, hand-stemmed, carefully cleaned and pressed into plugs in a clean, sanitary, spit-and-pan factory.

It is pure, high-grade product, for a third of a century the favorite of the best judges of tobacco. You want to get the same enjoyment out of your tobacco that Mr. Beal describes, just get a 5c or 10c cut of Spear Head from your dealer and try it.

S. H. Dixon, Ill., H. A.



FIVE KILLED WHEN TRAINS HIT AUTOS

Six Others Injured in Collisions In and Near Chicago.

Chicago, Sept. 18.—Two men, a woman and two girls were killed and two men and three children and a man injured, some of them perhaps fatally, in two grade crossing accidents, in which automobiles were struck by flying trains. One occurred at a crossing of the Milwaukee Electric at Lake Forest, the other at an Illinois Central crossing near Matteson. The victims are:

The dead are: Joseph Walsh, Mrs. Joseph Walsh, Bessie Walsh, twelve, their daughter; Lorna Blondin, Bessie's chum; Carl Hupe, seventy.

Those injured are: Mrs. Carl Hupe, two ribs fractured; Ernest Hupe, son of Mrs. Hupe, rib broken, face and body bruised; Mrs. Ernest Hupe, Jr., eight, scalp wounds; Lawrence Hupe, contusions; Margaret Hupe, eight months old, head injured, serious.

The survivors are all at the Illinois Central hospital in Chicago.

KIND WORD FOR THE MEXICAN

Mexico Border Rows Originate on U. S. Side, Says Captain.

Omaha, Sept. 18.—"From my observations and conversations with army officers and others on the Mexican border, I am convinced that most of the trouble there originated on this side of the boundary," said Rev. John P. Poucher, captain and adjutant of the Fourth Nebraska, who returned home on a furlough.

"The trouble is mostly over wages and the treatment of the Mexican laborers by land owners on the American side. This land was formerly Mexican territory, and the Mexicans who have been forced off the land on which they had lived from time immemorial resent the treatment they receive. It is claimed Mexican laborers are treated little better than slaves, and when they revolt are shot down without compunction."

SPECIAL ASSESSMENT NOTICE.

Special Warrant Under Local Improvement Ordinance No. 178, Series of 1916.

PUBLIC NOTICE is hereby given that the County Court of Lee County, Illinois, has rendered judgment for special assessment upon the property benefited by the following improvement: the construction of vitrified brick or block pavement with sand filler on Depot Avenue from Third Street to Fifth Street and on Fourth Street from Depot Avenue to College Avenue and the construction of cement concrete curbing on both sides of Fourth Street from Depot Avenue to College Avenue in the City of Dixon, Lee County, Illinois, as will more fully appear from a certified copy of said judgment now on file in my office and that a warrant for the collection of such assessment is in the hands of the undersigned.

Said assessment is payable in Ten (10) annual installments. The amount of the first installment is \$969.43 and is due and payable on or before January 2nd, 1917. The last nine (9) installments are each for the amount of \$600.00 and one of such installments is due and payable January 2nd in each of the years 1918 to 1926, both inclusive. All of such installments bear interest at the rate of five per cent per annum, payable annually on the 2nd day of January, from the 29th day of August, A. D. 1916, the date of issuing the first voucher on account of work done.

All persons interested are hereby notified to call and pay the amount assessed at the Collector's Office in the City Hall in the City of Dixon within thirty days from and after the date hereof.

Dated this 18th day of September, A. D. 1916.

Signed, BLAKE GROVER, Collector.

Standard Tires, Black Tread, Red Side Wall, at the right price. Money Back Tire Shop No. 4.

WILL ASSIST IN DESIGNING MARKER

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block house, which was given to the Dixon public library by Frank Saevens, and now adorns the library walls. From that he thought he might be able to evolve a suitable memorial.

Visit His Studio

Mr. Taft, in turn, invited Mrs. Law and her guests to return to Oregon with him and visit his cottage and the artists' colony at Canymede Park, and the party of eight had the pleasure of seeing the artist at home, of meeting his family, and exploring his studio, where a beautiful work of art to be placed on the Midway Plaisance, was in process of construction. Mr. Taft, like the true creator he is, seemed to joy in his work and in the explaining of it to the members of the party.

The Oregon home, perched on the cliff where Margaret Fuller wrote Ganymede to His Eagle, is much beloved by the Taft family who think a summer ill spent that is not spent there. The Taft family is a very delightful one—Mrs. Taft is a very beautiful woman and the three daughters are very charming. The two older daughters are students at the University of Chicago and are just about to leave Oregon for their studies; the other daughter is an enthusiastic youngster of thirteen.

The Taft cottage is of the native gray limestone, quarried near by, and with its red tiled roof with its long sloping lines suggests the foreign in architecture. Within the large living room, a large fireplace with big logs blazing therein, added comfort which the guests found not amiss after the drive thither. The five other cottages occupied by the colony of artists was a tiny stone structure, which nineteen years ago, when fame was young to Lorado Taft, was built by Taft himself—"with his own hands, he built it." Among other structures of interest shown to the guests was the dining hall, a building by itself, where all the artists gather for their meals, and talk of their work, and other zealous things known to artists. When cleared of its furniture, the dining hall makes a delightful place for dancing. A large porch fronts the dining hall and overlooks the river, giving a beautiful, expansive view. The view from the Taft cottage, too, excels in beauty, and the guests would have lingered longer.

PROPOSALS FOR LIGHT AND POWER WIRING.

STATE OF ILLINOIS. BOARD OF ADMINISTRATION. Springfield, Illinois, September 14, 1916.

Scaled proposals will be received by the Board of Administration in its office in the Capitol Building, Springfield, Illinois, up to ten o'clock a. m., Tuesday, October 3, 1916, and then there publicly opened for light and power wiring at the State Colony for Epileptics, near Dixon, Illinois.

Plans and specifications for the above named improvement may be obtained upon application to Hon. Jam. S. B. Dibella, State Architect, 150 North Fifth Avenue, Chicago, Illinois, and by depositing a check for ten dollars payable to the State Architect, which amount will be returned to bidder submitting a bona fide bid to the Board on or before the time for submitting bids in this Advertisement, and returning the plans to the State Architect in good condition.

The Board of Administration reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

BOARD OF ADMINISTRATION. By FRANK D. WHIPP, Fiscal Supervisor.

Tuesday, Sept. 26th. Mrs. Carrie Cleary, 5 miles northwest of Dixon, Ill. D. M. Fahney, Auct.

Seen In The Movie Land

PRINCESS THEATRE "The Crystal's Warning" is a three reel mystery drama featuring Hobart Hanly and Sidney Brace. This picture shows the lives of two men in their action in the world and how they come out in life's battle. Gale Henry in the leading role in "The Fall of Deacon Sillwater," a Joker comedy. Don't miss this as it is a scream from start to finish; also Cleo Madison in "When the Wolf Howls," a one reel Rex drama. This picture portrays the life of a poor girl and her struggle against the world.

KAISER OPENS DUTCH BORDER

Guards Withdrawn and Belgian Refugees Stream Into Holland.

London, Sept. 18.—A dispatch to the Evening News from Amsterdam reports that the German guards along the Dutch frontier toward both Belgium and Germany have been withdrawn. Numbers of Belgian families who for months had appealed for permission to enter Holland, are now streaming across the line at various points, with their belongings piled on every kind of conveyance.

ONTARIO PROVINCE IS DRY

New Prohibition Law Put Into Effect Saturday Night.

Detroit, Mich., Sept. 18.—Prohibition went into effect in the Province of Ontario at 7 o'clock Saturday.

The last wet day saw an unprecedented rush on the bars and wholesale liquor shops in Windsor, Walkerville and Sandwich, across the border from Detroit.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.

Estate of H. J. Durr, Deceased. The undersigned, having been appointed Administratrix of the Estate of H. J. Durr, Deceased, hereby gives notice that she will appear before the County Court of Lee County, at the Court House in Dixon at the November Term, on the first Monday in November next, at which time all persons having claims against said Estate are notified and requested to attend for the purpose of having the same adjusted. All persons indebted to said Estate are requested to make immediate payment to the undersigned.

Dated this 18th day of September A. D. 1916.

MARY J. D'URR, Administratrix.

JOHN P. DEVINE, Attorney.

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DRINK MORE WATER IF KIDNEYS BOTHER

Eat less meat and take Salts for Backache or Bladder trouble—Neutralizes acids.

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Veto has been working in Peabody mine No. 3 and was returning home when three shots were fired from a clump of weeds alongside the railroad track on which he was walking. Veto fell dead.

Three other miners not far behind him hurried to the mine office and telephoned the sheriff, who, with deputies, went to the scene and found the body. They saw the weeds had been broken down as though by some one who had lain in wait for several hours. No clew has been found to the identity of the assassin.

One of Veto's brothers was killed by assassins on a street in Johnston City at night a little less than a year ago. A few months later a second brother was shot to death on a dark street in Marion. No one witnessed either killing so far as could be learned and the murderers are still at liberty.

SETTLE WITH RAIL SHOPMEN

Strike Is Averted When Settlement Is Accepted by Committee.

Bloomington, Ill., Sept. 18.—A strike of the Chicago and Alton shopmen was averted when settlement was accepted by a committee, subject to ratification by employees here and at other terminals.

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Edwin H. Neu, Prominent in Masonic Circles, Succumbs at Springfield.

Springfield, Ill., Sept. 18.—Edwin H. Neu of Port Worth, Tex., prominent in Masonic circles, a member of Moriah Patrol band at the Shriners' convention in Buffalo, N. Y., died at Springfield on his way from the convention to his home in Texas.

He stopped here to visit his parents.

Millionaire Marries in Haste.

Bloomington, Ill., Sept. 18.—Alexander W. Tyng, millionaire of Peoria, aged sixty-four, and Miss Hilda Anderson, aged thirty-two, also of that city, eloped to Bloomington and were married by County Judge Riley.

Picks Up Rattler for Sock.

Monticello, Sept. 18.—Going into the yard at dusk to take clothes from a wash line, Mrs. Joseph Keller stooped to pick up what she thought was a black sock. It was a rattlesnake, which bit her in the hand. The snake killed by another member of the family, had six rattles. Prompt medical attention saved Mrs. Keller.

Captures Three Snow Owls.

Windsor, Ill., Sept. 18.—Claude Richman, a young hunter of near Windsor, captured a pair of snow owls with three young ones while on a hunting expedition this week. These birds are rarely found in Illinois. They were placed upon exhibition in Windsor and will be presented to some public park.

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Society Notes of Dixon and Vicinity

Monday

G. R. C. Meeting—Miss Rilla Webster.

O. E. S. Parlor Club, Masonic Hall.

P. E. O. Dinner, Mrs. Rowland.

G. A. R. Circle Meeting, G. A. R. Hall.

P. E. O. Supper, Mrs. A. A. Rowland.

I. O. O. F. Meeting, I. O. O. F. Hall.

K. C. Meeting, K. C. Hall.

Tuesday

Mrs. Klopfinger's class, M. E. Aux. U. S. W. V., Miller Hall.

Wednesday

Ladies' Social Circle, Prairieville Church.

W. C. O. F. Meeting, Mrs. Frank Ortgiesen.

Thursday

E. R. B. Class of St. Paul's Sunday School, Miss Alma Moeller.

Friday

Mystic Workers, Miller Hall.

Rebekah Lodge, I. O. O. F. Hall.

From Mississippi

George Shafer of Macon, Miss., formerly of Dixon, is a guest of his son, Ray Shafer, of South Dixon. From Dixon Mr. Shafer will take a trip into the Northwest before returning to Mississippi.

To Wisconsin U.

Miss Elizabeth Owens left Saturday afternoon for Madison, Wisconsin, for her second year as a student at the university.

Guest at Krug Home

Mrs. Conrad Mealhouse of Garrison, Ia., is a guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Casper Krug home.

Returned to Memphis

M. M. Prindaville, daughters, Misses Kathleen and Lillian, and son Thomas, returned Saturday to their home at Memphis, Tenn., after a brief visit at the home of Mr. Prindaville's sister, Mrs. Daniel Murphy of Hennepin Avenue, and with other relatives in Dixon and vicinity.

To Entertain W. C. O. F.

Mrs. Frank Ortgiesen will entertain the Lady Foresters at her home, 1002 Third street, Wednesday afternoon between the hours of two and five. All the members are cordially invited to come, and, if they so desire, may bring their fancy work. Add Wednesday calendar.

G. A. R. Circle

A regular meeting of Dixon Circle No. 73, Ladies of the G. A. R., will be held this evening at G. A. R. hall at 8 o'clock sharp. There will be initiation of candidates.

Guests from Arizona

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Barnhart of Douglas, Arizona, are guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Barkley.

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Entertained Polo League

Showing that people are more and more getting away from provincialism was the social held Friday evening at the Methodist church, given by the Dixon Epworth League for the Epworth League of the Polo Methodist church. The social was the result of a friendly contest for members between the two associations, resulting in Dixon winning, and it was the winner that did the banqueting this time. Thirty-four members of the Polo lodge were present and with the Dixon league members a neat little crowd of nine ty was formed.

An enjoyable program was given in the early evening. Miss Josephine Lievan gave a delightful address on Lievan gave a charming vocal solo; Dr. Lumsden made a delightful address on "Life's Golden Day;" and Misses Frances Ackert and Miss Josephine Smith pleased all with a piano duet. J. E. Moyer kindly gave the use of an Edison Disc phonograph over which Mr. Kennedy presided, and a number of enjoyable phonograph numbers completed the program.

Games and a social evening followed, with ample opportunity for the members of both leagues to become well acquainted. An enjoyable luncheon consisting of fruit salad, wafers, coffee, ice cream and cake, was served during the evening.

O. E. S. Meeting

A meeting of Dorothy Chapter, O. E. S., to whose interest much was added by the presence of a number of guests, each of whom gave an excellent talk, was held Friday evening in Masonic Hall. The guests included Mr. and Mrs. Chase of Polo—Mrs. Chase is worthy matron of Corinth chapter of Polo; Dr. and Mrs. Banker of Franklin Grove—Mrs. Banker is also a worthy matron, in charge of the Garnet lodge of Franklin Grove; Mr. and Mrs. Crawford and Mrs. Trottnow, also of Garnet chapter; and Miss Anna Abt of Square Chapter, Chicago. Three candidates were initiated at this meeting. Refreshments of coffee, wafers, ice cream and cake were served at the end of the meeting.

Eastern Trip

Mr. and Mrs. George Carbaugh and Cleo Deeter start Tuesday on an Eastern trip which will include Niagara Falls, New York, Washington, D. C., and points in Pennsylvania. They expect to be gone a month.

Penmanship Course

Prof. C. A. Faust is here to give instructions in the Faust system of penmanship in the grades of the North Dixon school and he offers a six hour course in lettering free to any who care to come for instruction. The only charge is for materials. The class will meet at 3:30 in the high school building.

From Walnut

Rev. and Mrs. DuVall of Walnut and Miss Gertrude Reid of this city drove to Dixon Saturday from Walnut. Mr. and Mrs. DuVall were guests at the Robert Anderson home.

Scramble Supper

The Misses Anna Jensen, Carolyn Simonson, Maude Gitt, Tomina Hyland, Hazel Ream, Marcia McWethy, Ora Floto, Ada Brink, and Cordelia Wolfe, and Mrs. Harry Hurst, perpetrated a pleasant surprise on Miss Mary Hintz Friday evening at her home at Brookside farm. The affair was a scramble supper and given as a farewell for Miss Hintz who soon leaves for Northwestern University, where she will take up the study of music. Miss Hintz was presented with a shower of all sorts of gifts useful to a student in a boarding hall.

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P. E. O. Program

Chapter A. C., Illinois P. E. O., which meets this evening with a scramble supper at the home of Mrs. A. A. Rowland in the first meeting since the summer vacation, has an interesting program for the coming year, dealing as it does with many of the wonder spots and interesting features of our own country. The Dixon chapter was organized in 1911 and has a membership of nearly thirty. The organization is a secret society. Below is given the program:

Officers

President—Jessie W. Reid.
Vice President—Ellen L. Judd.
Rec. Sec.—Delia Strong.
Corresponding Secretary—Lydia Garnett.

Treasurer—Myrtle Judd.
Chaplain—Anna W. Barlow.
Guard—Grace Rowland.
Journalist—Mae R. Keller.

Program

(1916-1917)

September 18

Scramble Supper.

Hostess, Mrs. Rowland.

October 2

Hostess, Mrs. Reid.

Parliamentary Drill—Mrs. Rowland.

Paper, "Trip Along the Hudson".

—Miss Snyder.

Music—Mrs. Strong.

October 16

Hostesses—The Misses Judd.

Quarterly Drill—Mrs. Dysart.

Paper, "Niagara Falls"—Mrs. Smith.

October 30

Hostess—Mrs. Dysart.

Parliamentary Drill—Mrs. Leland.

Paper, "Women in Relation to Law"—Mrs. Keller.

Music—Miss Grace Judd.

November 6

Hostess, Mrs. Ives.

Parliamentary Drill—Miss Dysart.

Paper, "Dixie Highway"—Miss Strong.

Paper, "Lincoln Highway"—Mrs. Trowbridge.

Music—Josephine Ives.

November 20

Hostess—Miss Garnett.

Parliamentary Drill—Miss Grace Judd.

Paper, "Saving the Mississippi's Source"—Mrs. Countryman.

December 4

Hostess—Mrs. Armstrong.

Parliamentary Drill—Miss Garnett.

Paper, "Mammoth Cave"—Mrs. Mrs. Hamilton.

Reading—Mrs. Reid.

December 18

Hostess, Mrs. Keller.

Children's Day (In charge of Program Committee).

January 2

Hostess—Mrs. Trowbridge.

Parliamentary Drill—Mrs. Barlow.

Love Feast.

Reading—Mrs. Armstrong.

January 15

Hostess—Mrs. Leland.

Parliamentary Drill—Miss Myrtle Judd.

Paper, "Grand Canon"—Miss Garnett.

Music—Miss Strong.

January 29

Guest Day.

Hostess, Mrs. Hamilton.

Parliamentary Drill—Mrs. Reid.

Paper, "Wonders of the Colorado Desert"—Mrs. Dysart.

Music (Victrola).

February 19

Hostess—Miss Dysart.

Parliamentary Drill—Mrs. Lehman.

Paper, "Through Arizona's Wonderland"—Miss Myrtle Judd.

March 5

Hostess, Mrs. Smith.

Parliamentary Drill—Mrs. Smith.

Election of Officers.

March 19

Hostess—Mrs. Lehman.

Parliamentary Drill—Mrs. Keller.

Paper, "Deer Park and Starved Rock"—Mrs. Newcomer.

Music—(Victrola).

April 2

Hostess, Mrs. Judd.

Parliamentary Drill—Mrs. Newcomer.

Paper, "Club Women's Part in Conservation"—Mrs. Ives.

Music—Mrs. Leland.

April 16

Anniversary Party.

Hostess—Mrs. Countryman.

April 30

Hostess—Mrs. Rowland.

Parliamentary Drill—Mrs. Hamilton.

Report of Delegates.

May 7

Mothers' Day.

Hostess, Mrs. Barlow.

May 21

Annual Picnic.

Guests from Clinton

Mrs. Onker of Clinton, Iowa, is being entertained at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Schumm.

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To Oregon

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Jones and daughter Jarlath and niece, Miss Avis Duffy, and Raymond Pogeley motored to Oregon Sunday.

To Mt. Clemens, Mich.

Mrs. Samuel Bacharach, Miss Carrie Rosenthal, and Miss Helen Bacharach have gone to Mt. Clemens, Mich., for a few days' visit with Edward Rosenthal.

Dinner Guest

E. C. Parsons was a Sunday dinner guest at the home of Mrs. Geo. H. Squires.

With Miss Wynn

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Heile and daughters of Chicago spent Sunday with Miss Mary Wynn. They came and returned in their car.

To White Fish Bay

Mrs. Bradford Brinton left Saturday for White Fish Bay where she has a cottage for the summer. She expects to return to Dixon about October 20th.

Pleasant Drive

Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Loesch and Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Earl motored to Grand Detour, Castle Rock, Oregon, and the Blackhawk statue. At Grand Detour they were joined at the home of Dr. and Mrs. Pankhurst. Mrs. Pankhurst accompanied them on the remainder of the ride. The trip was made in the Loesch car.

Prairieville Social Circle

The Ladies Social Circle of Prairieville will hold an all day meeting on Wednesday at the church. A scramble dinner will be served at noon. The members are to come prepared for work, with needles, etc., the work to be the tying of comfortables. All the members are urged to be present.

Motored to Freeport

Mr. and Mrs. James Mocklin and daughter Alma, Mr. and Mrs. John Hartzell and daughter Phyllis of Amboy, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Bates and brother and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Bates and friend, Mrs. Rosenthal, Miss Schuck and Wilbur Bates, motored to Freeport yesterday where they took dinner and supper.

To Starved Rock

Mr. and Mrs. William Ford and Mr. and Mrs. William Eckert motored to Starved Rock and Deer Park Sunday.

For His Birthday

Master Elsworth Beightel entertained eight of his young friends at his home Saturday afternoon in celebration of his seventh birthday. The afternoon was spent in playing games and at five o'clock pleasing refreshments were served.

League Will Meet

The Young People's League of German Lutheran church will meet tomorrow evening for an important business session.

Stjerman Club Meets

The Stjerman Club will meet this evening with Miss Nell Fuestman of Peoria Avenue. Election of officers will be held.

Class Meeting

Mrs. Kleppinger's Sunday School class of the Methodist church will meet tomorrow evening with Miss Myrtle Andersen, 315 Ottawa Ave.

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For Woman's Loyal Circle

Mrs. W. H. Smith and Mrs. W. G. Kent will entertain the Woman's Loyal Circle Tuesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Smith. Tea will be served. A cordial invitation is extended to all the members.

Entertained in Sterling

Miss Carrie Asher and Miss Gertrude Beehme of Dixon and William Eller of Sterling were guests at the Webster Weaver home in Sterling Sunday.

From Peoria

Mrs. Clara Avery and Mr. and Mrs. Frederick Rosbrook and two guests motored to Dixon and Grand Detour Sunday.

Young People's League

The Young People's League of the German Lutheran church will meet tomorrow evening at the church. Reports will be given by delegates to the Peoria convention.

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MAINE ELECTION BOOSTS STOCKS.

Henry Clews, in his weekly financial letter, says in part:

The financial markets have presented unmistakable signs of increased public interest and participation this week both in the direction of investment and speculative operations. For several weeks there has been evidence of a broadening tendency. But the immediate incentive for the period of enthusiasm that has so distinctly developed seems to have been the definite result of the Maine election. This result in many quarters is interpreted and accepted as a responsible forecast of the success in November of the political party identified with the advocacy of a protective tariff. Under current conditions the tariff projects may be expected to exercise an important bearing on the price level of securities of our great industrial combinations. Since the war began there have been phenomenal increases in our export trade, not alone in the form of munitions, but also of peace exports to neutral countries that formerly were served by one or more of the present belligerents. All will concede that when peace is restored there is to be intense activity displayed by foreign manufacturers in the direction of re-establishing themselves in former markets. This is a development that increased tariff rates at home can hardly be expected to check. Presumably our manufacturers, finding their export business assailed, then will endeavor to concentrate more freely on domestic business. They become in this way more susceptible to tariff protection.

It is likely the results at the polls in Maine have been accepted quite widely as a favoring market influence. In addition, industrial securities have been sustained by evidence of a growing belief that recent interpretations that the war will end in the near future have been, to some extent modified. Public officials in the entente countries are to some extent responsible for this change since they have been advised against over-confidence as a probable forerunner of disappointment. If it unfortunately should prove the fact that the war still is to claim hundreds of thousands of additional victims it will mean that supplies of munitions must continue to leave our ports to such of the belligerents as can arrange for transportation. In this way there is not likely to be a sudden termination of the foreign orders for American-made supplies such as has been so greatly feared and to some extent discounted in Stock Exchange circles.

HUGHES ON THE STUMP.

Boston Herald: New England has had in the last week a better chance to get acquainted with Charles E. Hughes than ever before. Those who have seen him in close range have made up their minds pretty clearly as to the sort of a man he is. They realize, first of all, that when he became president he would be the president, and that there would be no power behind the throne and no secret springs of influence. He decides things for himself. Courteous always, he is never an easy mark. This everybody found out who attempted to call at his stateroom on the train; he will not match his voice, so precious on the stump, with the noise of the cars, and in consequence is not "receiving" while in his stateroom. This has been an altogether admirable rule, but it is some departure from that of the average aspirant for office who wants to please the last available man.

The persons who have been around the country with Mr. Hughes, and the various train attendants hold him in exceedingly high regard. They say he wears well. They find him square and straightforward. He is almost as inquisitive as Li Hung Chang. Wherever he goes he wants the man next to him to run over in a low voice the names of all the persons thereabouts, in order to identify them and establish their relation to the community, and the campaign. He possesses a surprisingly wide range of information about the people in the various localities. His mind is keen and attentive. His memory is good. He has "personality." If he should be elected president he would fill the offices on an efficiency basis; he appears exceedingly intolerant of lopsided work and languid services, and would not be likely to stand for them in public places. This appears in all his relations.

Mrs. Hughes is proving an undoubted asset to the candidate. In his journeys she goes with him everywhere, sitting on the platform in the great municipal auditorium at Portland, and standing with him to shake hands with the people when an impromptu reception takes place. Without being striking either in appearance or manner, she is a winning woman, and one who "plays the game well," invariably adding the touch of feminine tactfulness to Mr. Hughes' solid exterior. He is not cold. His laughter is hearty and his humor quick and keen; and still his qualities are those of strength and solidity rather than of mirthfulness and amiability.

Mr. Hughes is a good speaker. His voice is particularly strong. His attitude is vigorous without being emotional; his style is one calculated to carry conviction. In fine, he has impressed everybody who has seen him on this New England journey that the republican party made absolutely no mistake in its nomination this year.

THE COOK'S RIGHT.

Is the long-established and sacred right of the cook to provide her relatives and intimate friends with such trifles as sugar, jam, flour, etc., from her employer's pantry to be questioned, asks the Rockford Register-Gazette? A London hotel keeper has had his cook arrested on a charge of helping herself to his property.

But a cook knows no law but custom, and this one's attorney denied that any offense had been committed. The lawyer pleaded the "custom of the trade" or of the occupation. So long have cooks exercised the privilege of helping themselves to what they regard as proper perquisites, he argued, the law ought to respect the practice and put it above the category of mere vulgar theft.

But the magistrate before whom the case was tried evidently was deficient in fine sentiment. He sentenced the cook to a month's imprisonment. If this is common law, then the cook has no right left except the right

City in Brief

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Mr. and Mrs. Chris Seabach and family of Franklin Grove were here Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. George Null and Miss Elizabeth Null, motored here on Saturday from Nachusa.

Samuel Randall of East Grove was in town Saturday.

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John H. Fleming of Plankinton, S. D., has returned to his home after a visit here with his father, M. E. Fleming, who has been ill.

—Every school child should have a Webster's Dictionary. Call at the office and see them.

Tom Gaffney, George Aschenbrenner, and Gus Schweinsberg were at Amboy Friday, attending the fair.

G. J. Miller was an Amboy caller Friday, attending the fair.

Mr. and Mrs. Aydelotte were among those at the Amboy fair Friday.

Mrs. Roy Eastman spent Sunday with her brother and his family in Aurora.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Keyes and family attended the Lee County fair Friday.

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Mr. and Mrs. Guy Mirely and daughter Irma of West Brooklyn were in Dixon Friday.

Mr. Shannahan, formerly proprietor of the Dewey hotel, was in Dixon the latter part of last week visiting friends.

Tom Gaffney, George Aschenbrenner, and Gus Schweinsberg were at Amboy Friday attending the fair.

Assistant Postmaster James Ballou went to Chicago this morning for a few days' visit.

Former Coroner Charles Smith of Amboy was here today transacting business.

Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Finney have rented Miss Nonie Rosbrook's residence for the month of October.

—Dr. McNicol has just installed his X Ray and Electrical Apparatus, which arrived last week.

Ernest Bates, employed in the Grand Detour Plow Co. office, is taking a two weeks' vacation.

George Netts delivered a Parrot Tractor to an Amboy customer today.

At Dr. Rice Home
Mr. and Mrs. William Paddock were Sunday guests at the home of Dr. James Rice.

For the Teachers
Invitations have been sent to the teachers in the North Dixon and Dixon schools to join with the members of the Presbyterian Woman's Auxiliary in a "Get-acquainted" social at the home of Mrs. A. A. Rowland Friday evening. Preparations are in progress for a number of pleasant diversions to "break the ice."

Dinner Guest
Miss Annie Eustace was a dinner guest Saturday of Miss Boss Camp.

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MAY ABOLISH FREE SCHOOLS

Alabama Capital to Charge for All Above Primary Grades.

Montgomery, Ala., Sept. 18.—Free public schools, regarded as the pillar of the American republic, will no longer exist in Montgomery if the action of the Board of Education is sustained by the city commission. The Board of Education has announced that a tuition fee will be charged by the board for all pupils entering the schools. They say this is necessary in order to meet current expenses.

There are many other cities in the state where the schools are only partly free. In most of these places no fees are charged for the lower grades but tuition must be paid in the high schools.

FORD AIDS CRIPPLED POOR

Unlimited Fund Provided for Poor Who Need Special Treatment.

Wellesley, Mass., Sept. 18.—Announcement that an unlimited fund has been set aside by the Ford Motor company of Detroit to be devoted to the treatment of crippled children throughout the country who are in need of orthopedic or surgical care was made by Rev. Samuel S. Marquis, head of the Ford educational department.

Speaking at a conference of business men here, he said a fund originally had been created for the use of cripples in the families of the employees of the concern.

RETAINS PLOWING LAURELS

Waldo Thomas Again Proves He is Champion Furrow Turner.

Aurora, Ill., Sept. 18.—Waldo Thomas, champion plowman of America, repeated at Big Rock his victories of last year at Wheatland and Big Rock.

Ten thousand persons witnessed the contest. Every furrow turned by the winner was clean-cut and of uniform depth and the trash, straw and natural debris of the field was buried under the soil.

Coast-to-Coast Race Ends.

Seattle, Wash., Sept. 18.—The war department's message from Plymouth, Mass., to Puget Sound, relayed across the continent by automobile in a race against time, was delivered at 10:12 a. m. Saturday to the commanding officer at Fort Wawton, its destination. The message left Plymouth at noon Monday.

DRIVE ON HALICZ NETS RUSS GAIN

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the front in Russia and Galicia, the war office announced, the Teutonic forces holding their ground all along the line except in the sector where troops of Archduke Charles Francis, resisting the Russian advance toward Halicz, were forced back for a short distance.

Von Mackensen Follows Up Success. Field Marshall von Mackensen is pressing his pursuit of the Russians and Rumanians, defeated during the recent operations in the Rumanian province of Dobruja, the war office announced.

The Rumanian advance in Transylvania is continuing, says the statement, which in reporting on happenings along the Macedonia front announces that the Greek seaport of Kavala, recently reported occupied by Bulgarians, is being bombarded by entente war ships.

Allies Reach Florina.

Paris, Sept. 18.—French and Russian troops, advancing rapidly on the western end of the entente Macedonian front, have arrived in front of Florina, close to the Serbian border, south of Monastir, threatening the Bulgarian right, the French war office announced in the official bulletin.

Farther east the Serbians are advancing on both sides of Lake Ostrovo, defeating the Bulgarians in engagements near Kajmaklan and continuing to throw troops across the river Brod, where the Bulgarians are resisting them on the right bank of the river.

Italians Gain in Trentino.

Rome, Sept. 18.—The Italians are pressing their offensive in the Isonzo district, with Trieste as their objective. The war office reports that further entrenchments on a wide front have been stormed and captured by Italian infantry. Some 800 additional prisoners were taken.

VILLA IS STILL ALIVE

Bandit Located in Durango—Wounds Trevino in Battle.

Field Headquarters American Punitive Expedition in Mexico, Sept. 18.—Martin Lopez, one of Villa's war chiefs with 150 followers, is in the vicinity of Santa Elena, in the Santa Clara canyon country, according to reports which have reached General Pershing. According to these reports Villa is still in Durango and Lopez is acting under his instructions.

The troops of the expedition are engaged in the initial movement of the extensive maneuvers planned by General Pershing. General Trevino, who is reported to have engaged Villa at Chihuahua, was wounded.

Horace White Is Dead.

New York, Sept. 18.—Horace White, for many years one of the country's foremost journalists and an authority on financial subjects, died at his home here after a long illness. He was eighty-two years old. He was editor of the Chicago Tribune from 1894 to 1897.

Ogg Law Now in Effect.

Lansing, Mich., Sept. 18.—An official proclamation was issued by Secretary of State Vaughan, putting into effect the Ogg bill passed at the last session of the legislature, which requires fraternal beneficiary societies to maintain rituals.

TO STATE G. O. P. CONVENTION

Number of Lee County Republicans Went to Peoria Today.

A number of Lee county republicans went to Peoria this afternoon to be present at the adjourned session of the state republican convention tomorrow, when Charles E. Hughes, republican nominee for president, will address the convention. Among those who went were Atty. Harry Warner, Atty. E. H. Brewster, John Meyer, Wm. Thompson, Geo. B. Shaw of Dixon, John Yetter of Steward, Geo. Carpenter of Amboy and James Buckley of Maytown.

To Conduct Conference

Rev. John Dornhoefer went to Chicago this morning where he has been chosen by a number of the congregations of the South Side churches to conduct an undenominational Bible Conference.

Attorney P. M. James of Amboy was here this morning on professional business.

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TEST OF THE GIRL'S LOVE.

Her Sweetheart Wins, But Admits C 11. He Took a Long Chance. "I couldn't feel sure," said he to his chum, "that she really cared for me, so I wrote myself this telegram: 'Will you go as accountant for tea firm in China at salary of \$50 per week?' Start Thursday. Answer at once." I signed the name of a fictitious firm and showed her the telegram as soon as I got to her house that night. "What do you think about it?" she asked. "I don't know what to think," said I. "Do you want to go?" she asked me. "If it wasn't for you I'd want to go."

"Then she said in a faint voice: 'Do whatever you think best.' 'I'd go if it wasn't for you,' I replied. "She sat still, looking at the fire. Then of a sudden she began to cry. "Oh, don't go! Don't go!" she wailed. "Don't go and leave me all alone. What would I do—what would I do without you?"

"So I told her I wouldn't go. It is a grand thing to have a girl care for you so much as that. I know that this girl loves me truly."

"If I had been the girl," said the young man's listener, "I should have said, 'Accept the offer and we'll be married at once and start for China together.'"

The young man grinned. "By Jove, I hadn't thought of that," he admitted. "Wouldn't I have been in a fix, though, if she had said that?" —Tit-Bits.

Maybe Not.



"She went abroad to complete her musical education, but she doesn't show any evidence of it." "Maybe she couldn't get it through the custom house."

He Did Not Need His Teeth. An officer of the army tells how Major Whipple of the Second Massachusetts Regiment, a veteran of the Civil War, hastened to Washington when the Spanish War broke out and offered his services to President McKinley.

But all officers, as well as men, had to undergo a physical examination, and it was stated to Major Whipple that he would have to place himself in the hands of the examining doctors at Worcester. Now, Major Whipple, while a man of great bodily strength and perfect health and activity, was a little deficient in the matter of teeth. An examining surgeon proposed to exclude him on that account.

Whereupon the Major waxed wroth. "Plague take it, gentlemen," said he, "I'm going to Cuba to shoot Spaniards, not to eat 'em!" The Major went. —Harper's Weekly.

Little Bobby On Bees. Little Bobby wrote an essay on bees as follows: "The bee is a queer sort of an insect that gives people a few points that they don't appreciate. The queen bee bosses the hive, just like ma bosses our house. The drone bee is like pa; he don't care much for work. There are other kinds of bees, including political bees, quilting bees, and husking bees. But the best bees of all are the kissing bees. There is a kissing bee in our parlor every Sunday night and I get a nickel not to tell about it. When it comes to a choice of bees, give me a kissing bee every time." —Chicago News.

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Out of Sight. Redd—"I was out on the road with my new automobile, yesterday afternoon."

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In Postonese. Little Chicagoan (visiting in Boston)—Ar, fudge! You're bughouse!

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TIME TABLE

ILLINOIS CENTRAL RY.

Correct time of all trains leaving Dixon that carry passengers and freight. Daily. *Daily except Sunday.

South Bound.	
Local Express, Dly ex Sun	7:15 a. m.
123 Southern Exp.	11:02 a. m.
121 Clinton Exp.*	5:13 p. m.
North Bound.	
132 Waterloo Exp.*	9:45 a. m.
24 Local Mail	5:39 p. m.
20 North Mail	8:20 p. m.
Freight Freight*	12:50 p. m.

CHICAGO & NORTHWESTERN RY. Correct time of all passenger trains leaving Dixon. *Daily except where otherwise specified.

East Bound to Chicago.	
No. Lv. Dixon	Ar. Chicago
6 3:23 a. m.	6:45 p. m.
24 6:23 a. m.	9:05 p. m.
28 7:21 a. m. dly ex Sun	10:30 a. m.
18 8:05 a. m.	11:00 a. m.
10 11:24 a. m.	2:00 p. m.
0 11:01 a. m. dly ex Sun	2:30 p. m.
4 4:21 p. m. dly ex Sun	7:25 p. m.
100 4:15 p. m. Sun. only	7:25 p. m.
12 6:10 p. m.	8:45 p. m.
West Bound.	
No. Lv. Chicago	Ar. Dixon
5 7:00 a. m. ex Sun.	10:20 a. m.
29 7:10 a. m. Sun only	10:23 a. m.
13 10:45 a. m.	1:18 p. m.
9 12:15 p. m. dly ex Sun	3:24 p. m.
7 2:40 p. m. dly ex Sun	7:24 p. m.
11 6:05 p. m.	8:40 p. m.
5 6:10 p. m.	9:04 p. m.
17 9:35 p. m.	12:06 a. m.
27 10:00 p. m.	12:30 a. m.
3 11:20 p. m.	2:22 a. m.
No. Lv. Dixon.	Ar. Peoria
301 8:30 a. m.	12:05 p. m.

TIME MAILS CLOSE

The following table shows the time of the closing of all mail forwarded from the Dixon postoffice. Mail should be in the office ten minutes preceding the locking of the pouch to insure its dispatch:

East Mail.	
Train	Time
No. 6	1:00 a. m.
No. 28	6:55 a. m.
No. 20	10:40 a. m.
No. 4	2:55 p. m.
No. 12	5:40 p. m.

West Mail.	
No.	Time
No. 5	9:55 a. m.
No. 13	12:55 p. m.
No. 27	7:00 p. m.
No. 9	8:42 p. m.
No. 15	1:55 a. m.

South Mail.	
No.	Time
No. 119	6:55 a. m.
No. 123	10:40 a. m.
No. 121	4:50 p. m.

North Mail.	
No.	Time
No. 122	9:25 a. m.
No. 120	8:10 p. m.
No. 124	4:50 p. m.

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Corn	70 75

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	Pay Mail
Creamery butter	35
Dairy butter	28 33
Lard	13 17
Eggs	25 30
Potatoes	1.00 1.25

LIVE POULTRY.	
Chickens	20 24
Geese	16 21
Ducks	18 22
Turkeys	20 25

Wheat—	
Sept 149	149 1/4 147 1/4 145 1/4
Dec 148 1/4	148 1/4 146 1/4 144 1/4
May 149	149 1/4 147 1/4 145 1/4

Corn—	
Sept 87	87 86 1/2 85 1/2
Dec 72 1/2	72 1/2 71 1/2 70 1/2
May 76	76 75 74 73 1/2

Oats—	
Sept 44 1/2	44 1/2 44 1/4 44 1/8
Dec 47 1/2	47 1/2 47 1/4 47 1/8
May 50 1/2	50 1/2 50 1/4 50 1/8

Pork—	
Sept 2805	2805 2805 2805
Oct 2620	2620 2620 2620

Lard—	
Sept 1445	1445 1445 1445
Oct 1445	1445 1445 1445

Ribs—	
Sept 1472	1472 1472 1472
Oct 1420	1420 1420 1420

Receipts today—	
Hogs 29,000.	
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Sheep 32,000.	

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FAMOUS "DANUBE" WORK FALLS

Great Gain Made at Thiepval and South of Ancre—"Tankers" Used by British Prove Most Effective Engine Devised During Whole War—Prisoners Tell of It.

London, Sept. 18.—The British forces continued their gains south of the Ancre, smashing through German positions along a mile front close to Thiepval and capturing the famous "Danube trench," which the Germans believed to be as impregnable as the "Wunderwerk," which was taken on Friday.

So sudden was the rush of the British troops in the final assault on the "Danube trench" that the Germans left alive after the works had been literally shot from under their feet fled, leaving their rifles and equipment.

Berlin official reports admit that "the Somme battle continues uninterrupted," but claims that north of the river all attacks were repulsed, and that north of Ovillers, in the direction of Thiepval, their attack gained them some advantage.

"Most Dramatic Day."

There seems no question that Friday was the most dramatic day in the history of the British army in France. The Germans themselves were massing at many points, it appears, with a view to attacking to recover some of the high ground they had lost. The British anticipated the German attack with their own onslaught, assisted by the new "hell" machines, whose secret they had been keeping up their sleeves for just such an occasion as this.

Both accounts of wounded British soldiers and prisoners taken from all parts of the line agree that the German losses were immense. As a rule the forces in the front line trenches support patrols in the shell craters in the Somme battle area in small numbers with a plentiful supply of machine guns. This means a smaller force exposed to artillery concentration in case of an attack. If machine guns are silenced and the front trench taken then the reserves are expected, under cover of artillery fire from their side, to retake it by a counter-attack.

As the Germans intended to attack they had massed large numbers of men in their front trenches. These were not only caught by the surprise of the sudden blast of the early morning concert of the British guns preceding the charges of the British infantry, but were raked by machine gun fire from the "tanks," as the new armored cars have been designated by English soldiers.

ITALIANS SEIZE EGG RESERVE

Sell 10,000 at Two Cents Each to Cut Living Cost.

Rome, Sept. 18.—Ten million eggs, stored by speculators and seized during the last week in Italian cities by the government are being resold publicly at 2 cents each, half the market price.

The purpose of the sale at this figure is to aid in reducing the cost of living, which has increased by 25 per cent during the last six months.

DRUGGISTS TALK ON PRICES

National Association of Retailers Is in Session at Indianapolis.

Indianapolis, Ind., Sept. 18.—Two thousand druggists from every state in the union are in attendance at the National Association of Retail Druggists here. The convention will continue until September 22.

The talk of the druggists is chiefly of the enormous increase in the price of many drugs since the European war broke out.

La Verne Noyes on Peace Body.

New York, Sept. 18.—At its September meeting in New York city the National Executive Committee of the League to Enforce Peace, of which former President Taft is president, by unanimous vote elected La Verne Noyes of Chicago, former president of the Illinois Manufacturing Association, a member of the committee.

Miners' Candidate Named.

Indianapolis, Ind., Sept. 18.—Nominations for international officers of the United Mine Workers of America have just been concluded. President John P. White of Iowa, who is a candidate for re-election, received nomination from 376 locals and John P. Walker of Illinois was nominated for the presidency by 329 local unions.

Greek Banker Is Premier.

Athens, Sept. 18.—King Constantine called Nicolas Callaghyropoulos, a lawyer and president of the board of directors of the Ionian bank to Tafoi to discuss the possibility of forming a cabinet. M. Callaghyropoulos is a well known supporter of the entente cause.

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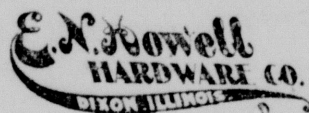
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